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Application of: Tetsuhiko TAKAHASHI et al.

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Transmitted herewith is an amendment to the above-identified application.

- Small entity status of this application under 37 C.F.R. §1.9 and §1.27 has been established by a verified statement previously submitted.
- A verified statement to establish small entity status under 37 C.F.R. §1.9 and §1.27 is enclosed.

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- A check in the amount of \$146.00 is enclosed herewith, covering \$36.00 for additional claims and \$110.00 for extension of time.
- Please charge Deposit Account No. 03-3125 in the amount of \$. Three copies of this sheet are enclosed.
- Applicant hereby petitions for a one-month extension. Our check in the amount of \$146.00, covering \$36.00 for additional claims and \$110.00 for extension of time is enclosed.
- The Commissioner is hereby authorized to charge payment of the following fees associated with this communication or credit any overpayment to Deposit Account No. 03-3125.
- Any additional fees under 37 C.F.R. §1.16 for the presentation of extra claims.
- Any patent application processing fees under 37 C.F.R. §1.17.

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REQUEST FOR APPROVAL OF PROPOSED DRAWING CORRECTION

We are submitting herewith a proposed drawing correction including separate sheets of Figs. 1, 4 and 6. The proposed corrections are indicated in red ink.

The proposed corrections are in accordance with the requirement made by the Examiner on the Office Action mailed June 9, 2003, and approval of proposed drawing correction is respectfully requested.

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